

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Dean Engelhardt et al.

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For: NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCING PROCESSES
USING NON-RADIOACTIVE DETECTABLE
MODIFIED OR LABELED NUCLEOTIDES OR
NUCLEOTIDE ANALOGS, AND OTHER PROCESSES
FOR NUCLEIC ACID DETECTION AND CHROMO-
SOMAL CHARACTERIZATION USING SUCH NON-
RADIOACTIVE DETECTABLE MODIFIED OR
LABELED NUCLEOTIDES OR NUCLEOTIDE
ANALOGS (As Previously Amended)

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.115
(IN RESPONSE TO THE OCTOBER 9, 2001 OFFICE ACTION)**

Dear Sirs:

This is a response (Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.115) to the Office Action issued on October 9, 2001 in connection with the above identified application. A response to the October 9, 2001 Office Action is due January 9, 2002. Accordingly, this response is being timely filed and no extension request or fee is due in connection with this filing.

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